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Sir:

Further to our telephone conversation on October 15, 2003 and discussion regarding process claim 1. The proposed process claim 1 is as follows:

"A process for manufacturing the electrolyte composition of claim 1, which process comprises adding an electrophile and a nucleophile to the molten salt of claim 1, and reacting the electrophile and the nucleophile by a Michael-type addition reaction to thereby form a cross-linked polymer, wherein the electrophile has at least two polarized unsaturated bonds polarized by an electron-withdrawing group and the nucleophile has a plurality of nucleophilic groups, wherein the nucleophilic groups are selected from the class consisting of NH₂, -SH, -S⁻, SO₂H, -SO₂, -OH and -COOH.

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I look forward to the telephone interview in the near future.

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Sir:

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